

Region II Headquarters P.O. Box 128 Roscommon, MI 48653 January 24, 1985

Mr. Robert Karsen Karsen Oil Company 921 Barlow Road Lincoln, MI 48742

Re: Underground Tank Test Procedures, Village of Lincoln, Alcona County

Dear Mr. Karsen:

In regard to our discussion on January 24, 1985, concerning the contaminated well at the Village Hardware, I have attached a list of operators certified by the State Fire Marshal to test underground storage tanks. Results from other test methods or operators will not be accepted by this office.

Due to the relatively close proximity of the contaminated well to your tanks, a leak may exist. If, in fact, this is the case, the sooner corrective action is taken the less environmental damage or further well contamination will result and the less expense involved.

You probably will want to discuss the various test methods with the operators. Please let me know your intentions once you have made a decision. If you would like to discuss the matter further, feel free to call.

Very truly yours,

John M. Alford

Environmental Sanitarian GROUNDWATER QUALITY DIVISION

517-275-5151

JMA: fas

attch: December 10, 1984, Memo

(approved methods for testing)

cc: T. Work

Thornton

Attle (Alcona Co. General GW)

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